

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE
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San Francisco, California 94105**

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NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF CHANGED TEXT

On September 3, 2003, California Insurance Commissioner John Garamendi issued a Notice of Proposed Action and Notice of Public Hearing, proposing the adoption of a Plan of Operations for the California Automobile Assigned Risk Plan. The Department held a public hearing and received written public comments in response to the Notice. The Department proposed changes to the text of the Plan of Operations in response to the comments received and recirculated the changes for further public comment with a Notice of Availability of Changed Text dated April 14, 2004. The Department is now proposing additional changes as a result of the comments received in response to the April 14 Notice.

PUBLIC COMMENT INVITED:

The Commissioner solicits written comments on the changes now proposed to Sections 12.A.2., 25.A.2.c., and 43.A.2.c. only, which are attached. Additions to the previous text are indicated in double-underline; deletions are indicated in ~~double-strikeout~~. Comments submitted on unchanged portions will not be considered.

The Commissioner believes the changes made are either nonsubstantial or solely grammatical in nature, or are sufficiently related to the original text that the public was adequately placed on notice that the change could result from the originally proposed regulatory action.

CONTACT PERSONS:

All written comments submitted in response to this Notice and all general or substantive questions regarding this Notice should be directed to either of the contact persons as follows:

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SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:

Pursuant to the provisions of California Government Code Section 11346.8(c), all written comments on the changes must be received by the Insurance Commissioner, at the address listed above, no later than **5:00 p.m. on Monday, June 28, 2004.**

Comments submitted by e-mail and facsimile will be accepted and considered.

AUTOMATIC MAILING:

A copy of this notice, together with the text of the proposal,¹ will automatically be sent to all those who testified at the public hearing, all those who submitted written comments at the public hearing, all persons whose comments were received during the public comment period, all persons who requested copies of information regarding the regulations, and all persons who requested notification of the availability of such changes.

JOHN GARAMENDI

¹ Because only three changes are proposed to the 137-page Plan of Operations, only the Plan of Operations Title Page and pages A-21, P-7 and P-8, and C-8 are being mailed with this Notice, along with the text of California Code of Regulations Section 2498.4.9.